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Track and Field competes at Auburn in Tiger Track Classic
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STATESBORO, Ga. – The Georgia Southern Track and Field team traveled to Auburn, Georgia, the old home of head coach [Kelly Carter](#). The Eagles had a good showing and were exciting to get back on the track to continue preparations for the Sun Belt Outdoor Championships.

The Blue and White added multiple top-25 finishes on day one and continued that success into day two. [Rebecca Parker](#) finished just outside the top-25 in the 5000 meter event, while [Eugenia Tan](#) captured a top-25 finish with a 5.63m long jump. [Alexis Gant](#) joined the action on day one with a 41.92m throw in the Women's Hammer Throw.

During day two of competition the Eagles were able to capture top-20 finishes with [Sholonda Snell](#) and [Ellunde Montgomery](#) finishing 17th and 18th in the 800 meter event. The two finished with times of 2:15.30 and 2:15.33. [Rebecca Parker](#) continued her return to the track with a 20:29.83 finish in the 5000 meter run. [Alexis Gant](#) added to her top-20 finishes for the weekend with a 19th place finish in the Discus event. She also added a 9th place finish in the Shot Put event, while teammate [Jamelia Owens](#) finished 8th in the same event.

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